KidCare Update

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Good news for children's behavioral health! KidCare is rolling out!

As many of you know, the 2001 Legislative session went into Special Session and hence, the budget and several pieces of Legislation pertaining to KidCare were not finalized until June 30, 2001.

DCF has over 23 million dollars of new funds to spend on the development of community-based services for children over the next two years! In addition, legislation pertaining to the design and implementation of Connecticut Community KidCare was passed in this legislative session.

DCF in partnership with Department of Social Services is reviewing the previous roll out plan and we hope to begin the process of making new services a reality within the next month.

Stay tuned for details!